



# California State Parks

## *Quick Facts*



Welcome to *Quick Facts*! *Quick Facts* includes statistics - number of park units, number of visitors per year, budgetary figures, etc. - as well as information that will help you understand the places and people that make up California's State Park System. From the many different types of park units, to the variety of natural and cultural resources protected by the department, to educational programs, California State Parks are part of life in California today and in the future.



Sincerely,

Ruth Coleman, Director

- ❖ Learn more about California State Parks with these *Quick Facts* sheets:
  - Parks by the Numbers* – a summary of important California State Park facts and statistics
  - At a Park Near You* – the connection between State Parks and California residents
  - Camping In Your California State Parks* – reservation tips
  - Dollars and Cents* – State Park funding, local grants and concessions
  - The Future of California State Parks* – State Parks are part of the California lifestyle
  - Interpretation and Education* – learning is fun in California State Parks!
  - The Natural and Cultural Resources of California State Parks* – California State Parks are more than picnic areas and campgrounds
  - California State Parks' Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Recreation Division* – fun off the road in California State Parks
  - Park People* - the people that protect and operate California's State Parks
  - Topical Matters* - important State Park topics in the news
  - What's in a Park?* – the wide variety of places and experiences you can find in California State Parks
  - Top Parks* – units within the California State Parks System that were included in ReserveAmerica's annual *Top 100 Family Campgrounds*, a guide to help campers and their families plan camping trips at locations across America's great outdoors.

*Quick Facts* will be updated as new information becomes available.